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CLAIM FOR PRIORITY

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Sir:

Claim is hereby made for a right of priority under Title 35, U.S. Code, Section 199, based upon the German Patent Application 199 22 186.3, filed May 12, 1999.

A certified copy of the above-mentioned foreign patent application is being submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted.

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